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JAMES L. BALL, attorney and counsellor at law, office east side Road street, three doors from Main. v1n1-1y

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DR. R. K. SPEED, physician, office over Green & Fearing's store, cor. Road and Ehringhaus sts. v1n1-1y

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DR. I. T. ANDREWS, Dentist, office in North Carolinian building. v1n51-1y.

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FRANK M. COOK, watches, clocks, &c., &c., Road st., east side, near Main. v1n1-1y

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MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. SARAH LABOYTEAUX, milliner, southwest corner Road and Main sts. v1n1-1y

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I. O. O. F.—Achoree Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets at their Hall over Mr. J. Q. Etheridge's Drug Store, every Thursday evening—in Summer at 7½, and in Winter, at 6½.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

ELIZABETH CITY.

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POST OFFICE—W. A. Price, Postmaster.

CHURCHES.—First M E Church, Rev S. S. Lambeth Pastor.—Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. School at 9 o'clock, a. m.—Christ Church (Episcopal), Rev M. H. Vaughan Rector.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services 10½ a. m., and 4½ p. m. Service in chapel for colored people at 8 p. m.—Baptist Church, Rev R. R. Overby.—Sunday services at 7½ o'clock, p. m., and on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock, a. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m.; Prayer Meeting on Sunday mornings (except fourth Sunday), after school.—Zion A M E Church, Rev W H Pitts, Pastor.—Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at 3 and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m. Friends Meeting every Sabbath at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the house of Dr. Wm. Underwood.

LODGES.—Achoree, Lodge No 14, I O of O F.—Meets every Thursday evening.—Talula Encampment No. 8 I. O. O. F., meets on 2d and 4th Tuesday in each month.——Brothers and Sisters of Love and Charity.—Meets alternate Tuesday nights.——Grand United Order of O. F.—Meets alternate Thursday nights.

MASONIC.—Eureka Lodge, meets on first Monday night of each month.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

Sheriff, Jno L Wood; Clerk Superior Court, William E Vaughan; Treasurer, B C Brothers; Coroner, Miles Commander; Register of Deeds, John T. Price; Surveyor, J. Q. A. Wood; Standard Keeper, A. L. Jones; Commissioners, C. W. Smith, Edmund Daily, J. S. Wilcox, Emanuel Davis and Abraham Morris; Commissioner's Attorney, W. H. Smith.—Representative, F. M. Godfrey.

SUPERIOR COURT—Tenth Monday after the first Monday in March and October. County seat, Elizabeth City.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Composed of the Counties of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Dare, Tyrrell, Hyde, Beaufort, Washington, Bertie, Hertford, Chowan, Martin, Gates, Northampton and Halifax

Member of Congress, C L Cobb, Elizabeth City; Collector 1 f Internal Revenue, Wm Barrow, Jackson; Assessor of Internal Revenue, Hiram E Stilley, Washington.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Is composed of the counties of Pasquotank (Court held on 10th Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Elizabeth City,) Bertie, (Court held on 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Windsor,) Camden, (Court 12 Monday after first Monday in March and October—County seat Shoreham,) (Court 6th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Edenton,) Currituck, (Court 14 Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Currituck C. H.,) Gates, (Court 4th Monday after the 1st in March and Octob er—County seat Gatesville,) Hertford, Court 3rd Monday in March and October—County seat Winton,) Perquimans, (Court 8th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Hertford,) and Dare, (Court in June and January—County seat Roanoke Island,) Judge Hon. J. W. ALBERTSON, Hertford; Solicitor, WILLIS BAGLEY, of Perquimans.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

Judge Circuit and District Courts, George W Brooks, Elizabeth City; Clerk of Circuit Court, N J Riddick, Raleigh; U S Attorney, D H Starbuck, Salem; U S Marshal, S. T. Carrow, Washington. The Terms of the Circuit Court are as follows:—1st Monday in June, and last Monday in November, at Raleigh. The Terms of the District Court are as follows: Third Monday in April and October, at Elizabeth City; S T Bond, Clerk. Fourth Monday in April and October at New Bern; Chas Hibbard, Clerk. First Monday after the fourth Monday in April and October, at Washington, Wm. Larkin Cleek

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of all kinds, as Writing Paper, Ink, Pens, Pencils, Blank Books, &c.

P. W. MELICK.

ELIZABETH CITY, June 20th.—6m.

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32-1y. E. City, N. C. Jan. 20, '70.

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ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. May 12, 1870. 1y.

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ELIZ. CITY, Jan. 18th, 1872-1y.

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April 11th, 1872.—1yr.

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C. W. GRANDY, Jr.

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND

GENERAL COLLECTOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

Office North side of Main Street.

Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

PROFESSIONAL.—

DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned has opened an office in Elizabeth City, N. C., for the purpose of practicing Dentistry in all its branches.

☞ Office in the North Carolinian building second story, corner Main and Road streets.

J. T. ANDREWS.

May 26, 1870-tf.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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MEALS at all hours. Special accomodations for Ladies.

Fruits and Confectionaries of all kinds always on hand.

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WM. C. DAWSON.

E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.

The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabe City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869-1y.

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MR. CLARK would announce to the public that he has again re-opened his large establishment at which the following Machinery is Manufactured, Horse Powers, different Sizes and Patterns, Corn Shellers for Hand or Horse Power, Wheat Threshers, different sizes, Corn and Wheat Fans.

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36—1y.

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This well-known house is located conveniently for the traveling public, being near the boat landing. Especial attention is taken to make guests comfortable. Charges moderate. 22-1y

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H. O. HILL.

E. City, N. C, March 14th, 1872.

38-tf.

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Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. 18-tf.

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We are prepared to receive orders for Spooner's Whale Warps, Best Qualities Sein netting, Corks, Rings, Rubber Boots, &c., with credit to June 1st for *prompt paying Notes.*

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ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.—38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continues to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. Persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road eet near the canal bridge.

yr. C. B. B[illegible]

Synopsis of the Annual Message of Gov. Caldwell.

After referring to our greatly improved condition, the abundance of our products, the prosperity and thrift following in the wake of industry and enterprize and the "better feeling" existing among our people, the Governor proceeds to speak at length of our Federal relations, the importance to the State and the people to act in harmony with the National Government and abjures the newly chosen Legislature to turn their backs upon much of the past—its bitterness, criminations, recriminations and blunders—and manfully and with determined purpose deal with the situation in a practical, business and statesmanlike manner. He insists upon the importance of the State authorities seeing to it that the Amendments to the Constitution of the United States are carried out in *spirit* as well as letter. He then refers to the State and National elections and says their results show too clearly to be mistaken, that the American people are fixed in their purpose to perpetuate and enforce the policy and principles, which have been so long with us the basis of the contest in which we have lost so much. It is wise, as it is now our duty as citizens and men, to look upon events as they are and to conform our public policy, and as far as possible our private conduct, to the national will—to put this State in full and complete accord with the Nation—and to render the interposition of direct national authority entirely unnecessary, either for the protection of citizens or for any other purpose that may be properly and as well accomplished by the State itself. There is reason to believe that the government of the United States, and the people of the Northern States, are anxious for the States recently in revolt to be blessed with prosperity—for peace and good order to be established, and for mutual good feeling and kindly relations to be restored between citizens as early and as rapidly as possible. Fostering and auxilliary legislation, and the friendly officers of every department of the National Government will doubtless be directed to this end, as soon as the States themselves so settle down the disordered elements within their borders, and so conform their policy to the new order of things, as to render such action productive of beneficial results. It ought now to be manifest to every one, that the time has arrived, when this State may fully reinstate itself as one of the efficient, cooperative members of the Union, advancing, instead of retarding, the wonderful progress, which the American people are making in wealth, power, honor and greatness among the nations of the earth.

The Governor then deals with the State Debt and finances calling the attention of the Legislature to the importance of carefully considering the whole subject. He says:

The causes which have brought about the existing condition of things never occurred before, and probably will not occur again. The complete sweeping away of almost the entire accumulations of the past—the change in the labor system; the resulting want of individual confidence and credit; and the general depression and embarrassment in nearly all the business relations, have been natural results of circumstances over which the State and its people had not control. But immense resources are still left to us, and need only to be developed to restore a high degree of individual prosperity and of public wealth. The future is full of hope, and we have well grounded reasons for believing, that, by judicious legislation and a wise and broad policy in the management of our natural advantages, the day may be hastened, more rapidly than is generally supposed, when our present depressed condition will be greatly changed for the better. This has been, doubtless, fully considered by the State's creditors, and gives us still much power to restore, in some measure, that confidence, which the proverbial honesty, and sober, solid character of our people once inspired. This would be greatly facilitated by a manifestation on the part of the representatives of the people of a determined disposition to make the best of all the advantages and resources within our possession, by an earnest, well considered and business-like system of measures, looking to the material interests, and advancement of industry, enterprise and business in all their varied relations and objects.

He says there is no subject upon which such action could accomplish so much of good as the management of the different and perplexing questions connected with the State debt; that all are interested; the interests of capital and labor are alike involved, and that it is not a party question; but that both parties should act together for the common interest and honor of the State. He then refers to the different classes of Bonds; and says:

The entire debt upon its face, with interest accrued, amounts at this time, to nearly thirty-seven millions. No one supposes that the State is bound in equity or good concience to pay the entire sum.—As to many of the Bonds, the holders, by the manner in which they came in posession of them, are nothing more than trustees, for the benefit of the State or of the corporations, from whose agents they obtained them. Still, in justice, a certain amount is due them from the State. If this amount could be ascertained and equitably adjusted, it would materially reduce what now appears to be the State debt. But it is, and has been, hardly possible to undertake this through the Courts, or otherwise, because of the ruined condition of the State credit, and the difficulty in raising the means to make any adjustment. It would, nevertheless, be an important feature in any plan that might be attempted by the Legislature in reference to the debt. How much it would reduce the present apparent indebtedness could be approximately ascertained by an investigation that would not involve serious expense or trouble. But the time required might be too great for information to be furnished to the present session of the General Assembly, unless it should be protracted beyond the usual length of session. In my last message, I recommended a commission to inquire into this matter and ascertain the facts. It may be that some other course, more comprehensive and definite in its character, may be considered preferable, under present circumstances.

It has often been suggested that some compromise might be effected with the creditors, by which the whole debt could be reduced to an amount within the capacity of the State to pay. But in the present depression of the public credit, there are no means at command, other than the issue of new bonds, of a uniform character and value, to take the place of various classes that are now outstanding. We must all be aware of difficulties which beset any debtor, who offers a new pledge for an old one. The question comes up, will it be any better? The causes which effect the existing pledge are of a character so extraordinary and unusual, that a new one, not affected by them, would be different in many most essential particulars. The old debt of the State was created under a different order of things, from that which now exists. We have passed through a revolution, which has been followed by results of a most unexpected and radical nature, reaching to the very foundation of all material business relations and interests. A large and valuable class of property, upon which mainly rested nearly all the productive capacity of tax-payers, has been completely and suddenly swept away. Our lands have consequently fallen in value to an extent totally unprecedented and unlooked for. A large class, who had no voice in the creation of this debt, have been raised to the diguity and responsibility of citizenship, and they must bear their proportion of the public burdens. They have become a powerful element, not only in a political point of view, but in every industrial and business respect. As there is no tribunal through which to enforce the obligations must, in a great measure, depend upon the favorable disposition of the people, which arises from the consciousness of having assented to the contract, and become themselves, in fact, parties to it. When there is one-third of the people, who do not feel they are in any wise responsible, because they had no voice or recognition in the creation of the debt, the public creditor may well feel that a new security, based upon the consent and approbation of the *whole* people, would be more safe and, reliable.

The new debt of the State was created, in part, at a time when a number of the property holders were disfranchised and denied all voice in public affairs. The ballance of it was created in the midst of the excitement and confusion of putting into operation a new government, established under circumstances so distastful and offensive to many of the people, that they refrained from taking any part in it.

Beside this, there is a prevalent feeling among the people in all sections of the State, that the present debt is greater than they can possibly pay; that it is tainted with fraud, and unfairness; and that for many and various reasons it is not of the binding force and obligation that commonly attaches to the public debt of the State. They would be dissatisfied with any legislation looking to its full payment or to raising by taxation any amount to meet the interest on it, as it now stands. With such a state of popular feeling, known in financial circles to exist, the value of the bonds is necessarily depreciated and general distrust and insecurity is everywhere felt by the holders. A new class of bonds, based on an equitable and satisfactory judgment, and having the assent and approbation of the people, of all parties, and at the same time for only such amount as is clearly within our ability to pay, would certainly be a better class of securities than those now outstanding. How far the creditors might be willing to make an exchange, and upon what terms, is a matter that it may be difficult to ascertain, and the difficultiese surrounding any in that direction, when the subject is fully considered, seem almost insuperable. No proposition looking to the repudiation, *in the slightest degree*, would be consistent with the honor and dignity of the State. Indeed it would be difficult for the State to make any proposition without the risk of affecting the market value of either all, or some of the bonds. This would embarrass the subject still further. The holders of some classes of the bonds might be willing to accede to a proposition which the holders of other classes would reject. *No arrangement should be made that does not embrace all.* For if one class were settled it would induce the holders of the others to rise in their demands, or leave the subject in an unsettled condition, and perhaps even worse than now. There is difficulty in getting all the holders of *any class* to agree together. But it is more difficult still to get the numerous and widely separated holders of *all the classes* to agree upon the proportional value of their respective securities and to act in concert.

Those and other troubles are in the way of the suggestion that new bonds be authorized and offered. It is not likely that such a proposition, coming from the State, would meet with any success, at all. Besides it would have so much the appearance of a refusal to pay the debt, that I do not deem it consistent with the honor and dignity of the State. Should any proposition come from the holders of the bonds, it might be considered with less embarrassment and with more prospect of favorable results. But under no circumstances would it be well to attempt a *partial* settlement by the issue of new securities. Such settlement, if made at all, should embrace the *entire* debt at once, and leave no room for speculation and gambling, by combinations of certain holders of the bonds, or of outstders who might attempt to get up complications and further interests antagonistic to a fair and just settlement of the matter.

He recommends that the Govermor be authorized by resolution to appoint an agent, or agents, to confer, under his directions, with the holders of the State Bonds or their representatives, and to receive and report any proposition that such holders may desire to make. Such agent would have to be selected with full knowledge of, and with reference to, all the circumstances and conditions surrounding the subject, and be a person in whose discretion and honor the creditors will have entire confidence.

His Excellency then considers the subject of Education and discusses it ably. He speaks of its being the only practical safe guard to the welfare of the State and the success of good government, and insists that it is the highest duty of legislators to address themselves assiduously to this subject, and to continue, to the extent of the capacity of the State, to secure continued progress in bringing to the door of *every citizen* the most ample facilities for education and sound instruction. And he says that a thorough system of common schools, placing their advantages within the easy reach of the laboring classes, is the great object to which legislative efforts should be aimed, because the whole fabric of Republican Government rests upon the humble foundations that are reached by the common schools.

He then suggests a change in the Election law repealing the obnoxious clauses in relation to the color of the ballot, registration and the separate boxes.

He then dwells at length upon the unfairness of the late Legislative Apportionment. He says:

The Constitution provides that "*each Senate district shall contain, as near as may be, an equal number of inhabitants excluding aliens and Indians not taxed, and shall remain unaltered until the return of another enumeration, and shall at all times consist of contiguous territory.*"

In the present apportionment this *unmistakable* provision of the Constitution is palpably disregarded. Two distinct elements are required to enter into the, formation of "*Senate Districts.*" First they "*shall contain as near as may be, an equal number of inhabitants.*" Secondly, they "*shall at all times consist of contiguous territory.*"

The first requirement is disregarded in the present apportionment to an extent that could not possibly have been inadvertently done. By it *thousands* of the people are without due and lawful representation in the Senate, and are virtually disfranchised. It is difficult to express, in becoming language, what every honest man in the State must feel, when he considers the facts and circumstances attending so plain a disregard, not only of the Constitution itself, but of the right of the people to fair and impartial representation. I deem it my imperative duty, without reserve, to lay the matter before you in detail, that the reproach may rest where it properly belongs, and in the confident hope, and belief that this General Assembly will, by prompt action, show to the country its appreciation of what is just and proper, and give full and rightful weight to the manifest voice and will of the people.

The entire population of the State, by the Census of 1870, is *one million, seventy-one thousand, four hundred and fifty*—making *twenty-one thousand, four hundred and twenty-nine* inhabitants the exact number each Senate District should contain, if perfect exactness could be obtained. But the Constitution does not require perfect exactness. It requires an approximation "*as nearly as may be.*" This approximation can in all cases be very nearly attained by grouping counties together, and when some of the more populous counties must be embraced in a District, by making it large enough to take more than one Senator, thus equalizing and giving weight to every large excess in a county. Eight of the Districts in the present apportionment have allotted to them two Senators each, instead of one. But this appears not to have been done in scarcely a single locality, where it was necessary to secure an approximation to equality in the approximation to equality in the number of inhabitants. The Convention, which ordained the former apportionment, had only the Census of 1860 for a guide.

The changes wrought by the war, in the relative population of the counties and sections of the State, rendered the *data* of the Census of 1860 unreliable. In consequence of this, some inequality occurred which was disclosed by the Census of 1870. To correct this inequality was the only plausible reason alleged for hastening, under doubtful authority, a new apportionment. It is remarkable that the uew apportionment, undertaken for such reason, should be made more unequal and unfair than the one it was intended to correct. Having the Census of 1870 before them, it is difficult to conceive how it was possible for the last Legislature to mistake so grossly and to fail so entirely in respecting the constitutional provision, designed to protect the most essential and fundamental of all popular rights—that of equal representation.

I will, for preciseness of demonstration, call attention to a few of the very many glaring instances that may be found throughout the new apportionment. I select for this purpose ten of the forty-two Districts. In this ten, are included three of the eight double Districts, in order to show that they were not made double for the purpose of approximating equality in population. Bearing in mind that 21,429 is the *ratio* of population, required by the Constitution to be approximated "*as nearly as may be,*" the startling violation of this requirement may be seen at a glance.

There is allotted to the

	Population.	Senators.
1st District,	50,015	2
10th "	33,686	2
24th "	33,610	2
18th "	35,617	1
23d "	15,708	1
12th "	27,978	1
14th "	16,436	1
3d "	27,699	1
17th "	16,897	1
31st "	17,414	1

By grouping these Districts in various ways, the total disregard of the ratio of population, viz: 21,429, which the Constitution requires to be approximated "as nearly as may be," becomes still more glaring.—There is allotted to the

	Population.	Senators.
1st District,	20,015	2
3d "	27,699	1
12th "	27,978	1
18th "	35,617	1
Total pop'l'n,	141,309	5
	Population.	Senators.
10th District,	33,686	2
14th "	16,436	1
17th "	16,897	1
23d "	15,708	1
24th "	33,610	2
31st "	17,414	1
Total pop'l'n,	133,751	8

Thus it appears that a population of 141,309 is allotted but *five* Senators—while another population of only 133,751 is allotted *eight* Senators. The ratio for the *five* is 28,261, while the ratio for the *eight* is only 16,719. According to the ratio required by the Constitution to be approximated, the five Senators would be increased to six, with an excess of 12,735 population, while the eight would be reduced to six with an excess of only 5,177.

There is allotted to the

	Population.	Senators.
3d District,	26,699	1
12te "	27,078	1
18th "	35,617	1
Total pop'l'n,	61, 264	3
	Population,	Senators.
14th District,	16,436	1
17th "	16,897	1
23d "	15,708	1
Total pop'l'n,	49,041	3

Thus it appears that a population of 91,264 is allotted but *three* Senators, while another population of only 49,041 is also allotted *three*.—The ratio for the other *three* is *only* 16,337. According to the ratio, required by the Constitution to be approximated, the first three would be increased to four with an excess of 6,572 population—while the other three would be reduced to two with an excess of 6,183. The ratio applied to the three representing the 49,641 population would, if applied to the other three, increase them to five with an excess of 9,609. There is allotted to the

	Population.	Senators.
10th District,	33,686	2
24th "	33,610	2
Total pop'l'n	67, 296	4
	Population:	Senators.
12th District,	27,978	1
18th "	35,617	1
Total pop'l'n	63,595	2

Thus it appears that a population of 63,595 is allotted but *two* Senators, while another population of *only* 67,296 is allotted *four*. The ratio for the two is 31,767, while the ratio for the four is only 16,824. According to the ratio required by the Constitution to be approximated, the two would be increased to *three* with a deficiency of only 692 population, while the four would be reduced to three with an excess of 3,006.

There is allotted to the 18th District, population 35,617, 1 Senator.

There is alloted to the 23rd District, population 15,708, 1 Senator.

According to the ratio applied to the 23rd District, the 18th would be entitled to two Senators and have an excess of 4,199 population.

In the history of the government, it has sometimes occured, in more than one of the States, that, in the midst of high party excitement, the laying off the Districts for representatives has been more or less unfairly done. But such unfairness consisted in grouping together territory, and forming District in grotesque shapes, for the purposes of securing the vote of party majorities, supposed to exist in certain localities. The palpable discharge of the amount of population, in violation of express law and the consequent disfranchisement of *thousands* of the people, has seldom, if ever, before been ventured upon anywhere. Heretofore, this unfairness has been confined to Congressional Districts, laid off under the requirements of acts of Congress. While all laws, both State and national, should be strictly observed, the requirements of the Constitution, which Legislators take a solem oath, in no respect to violate, might be supposed to be too sacred to be wilfully disregarded, however high and bitter party excitement might run.

The requirement, that each Senate District shall "consist of contiguous territory" has been technically complied with in the new apportionment. But it can hardly be said that the spirit of the law has been observed. In several instances some of the counties, composing the Districts, only touch at their corners, such an evasion of the evident *intent* and policy of the Constitution, ought to be avoided in all cases. The new apportionment for the House of Representatives is, in many respects, though in less degree, subject to the same animadversion as that for Senators. But I refrain from details, because the facts are within your reach, and attention having been called to the one inquiry will necessarily be aroused as to the other.

Viewed in a party aspect, the result of the unlawful and unfair apportionment has been to give one party a large majority in the Legisture, at an election in which the other party, in the popular vote of the State, had a majority of thousands—not only on the vote for State officers, but greater still in the aggregate for Senators and Represenatives in our Legislature and for members of Congress. This circumstance has given prominence, not only in the State, but in the whole nation, to that which we must all regret, and which will blur the history of the State with reproach.

I recommend that the Legislature take such action on this subject as shall remove this scandal from our statutes, and make the apportionment conform to the requirements of the Constitution.

He then shows that the same policy was followed in the Congressional apportionment; that one party has elected 5 members out of 8 when the other party in the aggregate vote for members has a popular majority of over 3,000.

The Govenor then refers to the Penetentary; the Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb, Blind and Insane; Internal Improvements; Swamp Lands; the Geological Survey; Immig ration; Digest of the Public Statute; Insurance Companies; Railroads and Canals; Militia; Regisrations

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A PROCLAMATION:

By His Excellency, the Governor of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, It is meet and eminently proper that the people of a great State should return heartfelt thanks to Almighty God for the many privileges and blessings vouchsafed unto them through His Infinite mercy and goodness, and by devout prayer and supplication, to ask for a continuance of the same:

Now Therefore, I, TOD. R. CALDWELL, Governor of North Carolina, in obedience to law, and in conformity with an honored custom, do appoint and set apart

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1872,

as a day of solemn and public Thanksgiving and Prayer in this State; and I do earnestly invite the Clergy of all denominations in the State to open their respective houses of worship, on said day, and call upon their congregations to humble themselves at the throne of the Great Jehovah, and render unto Him praises which are justly due, and to invoke for themselves, their State, and their whole country, His divine guidance and protection through all future time.

"Unto thee, O God, do we give thanks, *unto thee* do we give thanks: for *that* thy name is near, thy wondrous works declare."

Done at the City of Raleigh, on this the Twenty-Eight day of October, A. D., One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Two, and in the Ninety-Seventh year of American Independence.

[L. S.]

TOD. R. CALDWELL.

By the Governor:
JOHN B. NEATHERY,
19—4t. Private Secretary.

WHO?

We are sometimes led to inquire: What are the school children of the future going to do? Where are they to find room in their poor little heads for the knowledge it will be necessary to store away in them posted up to the latest discoveries in science and art, to say nothing of that knowledge of the past that will be necessary to comprehend the knowledge of their time? We can well remember that we thought it was bad enough for us

"When Multiplication
Was great vexation
And Division twice as bad,
When the Rule of Three
So puzzled me
And Practice drove us mad."

But now a good deal more is required—lessons harder to learn and problems more puzzling to be mastered.

In the time to come a "well read" man will be a novelty to be stared at, and one thoroughly *au fait* in the "isms" and "ologies" a source of perpetual wonderment that one small head could contain all he knows. As for keeping pace with the literature of the times, that will be impossible while of making books there is no end. When we think of all this we are led to conclude that some means should be thought of to ease the pangs of future scholars whose juvenile hearts will give way, appalled before the magnitude of the ocean of learning they will have to gulp down in such large drafts that they will not be able to perceive the flavor.

A benevolently disposed friend asks the question whether it isn't possible to have condensed learning as we have condensed milk, so that gallons may be stored away in a small compass and brought forth and diluted as occasion may require? He says that if the animal wants are cared for by desiccation by means of which a leg of mutton may be carried in the waistcoat pocket, and a side of beef in a snuff-box, why can we not have desiccated learning, so that HERBERT SPENCER might be reduced to a minimum and carried about with one, to be liquified and brought into proper use as occasion required? Who will be the ingenious philosopher to invent a process to render learning compact and portable? Who?

HARD TIMES IN THE WEST.

The farmers of the West are now complaining of "hard times." Their crops are good it is true, but the prices are so low that it is almost impossible to raise any money. A correspondent writes as follows:

These are pinching times in the West. Think of the plight of the farmer who at the end of his season's work hauls his crops a dozen miles to market and then gets only a shilling a bushel for shelled corn and eight cents a bushel for oats! A whole load will not buy a pair of cow-hide boots. But that is better than many farmers in Iowa are doing this fall. In such circumstances, of course, they realize less than the actual cost of production, and must find where they can the money to pay taxes, buy tools, and make improvements. And out this way, when the farmer shivers, every one else must button up his coat. Crops are large this year, and that is one of the sad things about it. It takes just as much work to handle a load of corn when it is fifteen cents a bushel as when it is fifty. Another trouble is the lack of transportation facilities to the seaboard. Corn which brings the farmer but 15 cents in Illinois sells in New York for 65 cents, the difference being mostly swallowed up in transportatiou charges.

And this is the truth. The transportation charges eats up the profits of the Western farmer. Here it is different. When corn brings 65 cents in New York it will command from 50 to 55 cents here. We have the advantage of as good soil, a better climate and much cheaper transportation. And to the Northern and Eastern immigrant this is an important item to be considered.

LET IT DIE.

There is no mistaking the fact that the Democratic Party as a national organization has gone to pieces. It is practically dead; its mission of good and its work of evil have been fully accomplished, and the overwhelming verdict of the people is, its time has come to die, and the vote of this November was intended as a final and effectual death blow.

And, seriously, why should it longer exist? What is there in its distinctive principles or the policy which it maintained in the now past that is applicable to, or that it can enforce in the present? Look at its history. The Democratic party was organized about eighty years ago, by THOMAS JEFFERSON, and, as its leader and master mind, he was twice elected President of the United States. Its central idea was, at first, as its name indicates, a rule of the people. It claimed to confer equal rights and priveleges on all American citizens, nigh and low, rich and poor, the weak and the strong. JEFFERSON had jnst retured from Europe, thoroughly disgusted with the burdens and oppressions under which the masses of the people groaned, when kings and titled nobilities ruled the people as with iron rods. His idea was that safety for liberty in America lay in the opposite extreme—in democracy.

The liberal and popular ideas of government he promulgated were accepted by the people, and the organization he founded became the progressive and equal rights party of its time. Popular ideas of government, as an able contemporary clearly observes, were not then so fully developed and all embracing as they are now, and in all considerations of government the colored race, being in slavery all over the United States at that time, were not considered, although the theories of the Democratic party, carried out to their logical conclusions in practice, would have made that party essentially what the Republican party is to-day.

The original Democratic party was the champion of free schools, of free speech and a free press. It was the friend of home industries, and passed and systematised the first effective protective tariff laws of the country. It thus laid the foundation for those manufacturing enterprises in the Eastern and Northern States which have been the chief causes of the marvelous development and growth of those sections.

It was largely due to the liberalizing tendencies of the old Democratic party, as indoctrinated by Jefferson, that the Northern States gave up slavery, as at once a great wrong to the oppressed race, and the extremest folly as a matter of political economy.

On the surrender of slavery in the Northern States, their wealth and power rapidly increased. New enterprise, increased vigor, popular education, general industry and thrift followed emancipation.

When slavery became a prominent question in National politics, the Democratic paaty was prostituted to its support, and became from that time its political representative and champion. Yielding to the demands of the slave power, it surrendered gradually all its liberal doctrines of government, losing its distinctive Democratic principles entirely, and came to be wholly controlled by and run in the interest of the slave oligachy, or ring, who styled themselves the "Aristocracy" of the South.

For the furtherance of the same purpose, the phrase "State Rights" was coined and adopted as a rallying cry which, properly interpreted, meant the right of the slave States to be independent of the National government, and of public opinion, so far as the institution of slavery was concerned. The question of State rights never troubled the free States. But the South required some shield for its barbarous institution, its class distinctions, and State rights was as good as anything else, behind which to make merchandise of black men and women, and to degrade the poor whites.

But all that is passed. The State rights doctrine is no longer needed to defend the brutalities of human slavery That institution which became the animating spirit of the Democratic party has passed away forever in the United States. With slavery gone, with equal political rights and guarantees established, a national feeling and a national patriotism having supplanted the sectionalism of the past, the two essential principles of the latter day Democracy have been eradicated from politics by the progress of events. A Pro-Slavery party and a State Rights party would now be alike absurd. We, therefore, fail to see what there is left for the Democracy, as an organization, to stand upon. They must abandon, necessarily, the dead issues of the past. They cannot from the very nature of the case carry it, or their party hobbies, into the future. They must seek new issues and establish a new character with the old name—which will be quite impossible we predict—or form new combinations on new issues, and start out with a new name. This will probably be their course.

But if the Republican party remains as progressive, as patriotic, and as true as it has thus far, it will be many years before the American people will change it for another.

THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

We very much regret that our limited space makes it impossible for us to publish the excellent message of Gov. CALDWELL in full. We give a synopsis on our first page. It is an able document, dealing with the vital questions of the times in a sensible and practical way. It has the true ring—is patriotic and earnest all the way through. He insists, and so did the people in August and November, that the true course of North Carolina is to henceforth act in full accord and harmony with the general government. The *people* desire this, and the Legislature ought to repond to the popular verdict by faithfully carrying out this desire.

On the Finances and the State Debt the Governor is right, and we believe his timely suggestions will be acted on. What he says on Education meets our full approval, and the Legislature will not do its duty if it fails in aiding, fostering and making more effective our beneficent system of Public Instruction. It is a subject North Carolina cannot afford to have neglected. On the "gerrymandering" of the Legislative and Congressional Districts the Governor is clear, plain and emphatic. He shows up the unfairness, injustice and *partisan* manipulating of the whole matter, and he very properly hopes, for the character of the State, that the Legislature will correct this gross and outrageous wrong.

In referring to the Penetentiary the Governor alludes to current and startling rumors of the barbarous treatment of convicts and asks that rigid inquiry be made at once. The State Institutions, their management and condition are referred to, and fostering of Internal Improvements urged. As to the Swamp Lands he says:

There are probably half a million of acres of swamps lands yet remaining in possession of the Board of Education. No new sales have been effected, but the Board has contracted with a company for the development of one of the largest bodies of these lands, (White Oak Swamp, about 85.000 acres in extent) on such conditions as it is hoped will bring it into market; and the enterprise, of which there is a good prospect, will it is believed, lead to others of a similar character and to the speedy utilization of this valuable, but hitherto unavailable resource of the educational fund.

The resources and capabilities of the State, as elucidated by the Geological Survey, are alluded to as being especially encouraging, and the subject of Immigration is hopefully discussed. Since the "good messenger of Peace is once more spreading his balmy wings over our stricken State," a large influx of the people of other States are settling among us.

A general Insurance law is advocated, and respecting our railroads the Legislature is asked to see to it that the interests of the State suffer no detriment. In order to place ourselves in a condition to be able to resist invasion, put down insurrections and quell riots he advises a well digested militia law. This the Governor insists is needed to put the State in a better condition for defense and for the surer protection of the people.

We repeat, the Message is an able one. It is dignified and practical. It reflects credit on our honest and true hearted Governor, and the true friends of North Carolina feel that so far as he is concerned her fair fame will not be tarnished.

After carefully reading one of the circulars of Wells' Grand Distribution, which takes place in Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 10, 1872, we have become satisfied that it is an enterprize worthy the attention and patronage of all. It is a home affair, endorsed by all the leading citizens of Bridgeport, and the vast amount of properety to be given away will afford an opportunity to hundreds of securing valuable gifts of various kinds, including Houses and Lots, Horses and Carriages, Bank Stock, Government Bonds, and many articles we have not space to enumerate. All are advised to send early to the Grand Central Office of Wells' Grand Distribution, at Bridgeport Conn., and secure a handsome Chromo, or Engraving, ranging in price from $1 to $5, and a share in the Grand Distribution for each dollar's worth of pictures purchased.

GREELEY hit the nail on the head when he said that GRANT never had been defeated and never would be. HORACE *thought* this in 1868; he *feels* is now.

New Books, Periodicals,&c.

The December unmber of *Lippincott's Magazine* marks the conclusion of the tenth volumn of that periodical. Its contents are fresh, varied, attractive, and informing. There are two illustrated articles descriptive of foreign scenery, manners and adventure. The first of these is entitled "Searching for the Quiuine Plant in Peru." The engravings which accompany it are numerous and characterestic, and are executed in a highly artistic manner. It will be continued through several numbers. The other illustrated article is a contribution from the pen of Mrs. Fannie R. Feudge describing in an easy and animated style a number of the most distinctive and curious sports and diversions of the Orient. It abounds in original information. "The Chapel of the Palms," by Charles Warren Stoddard, contains an admirable potrature of two youthful, self-sacrificing, and saintly missonaries, whose lives are devoted to the service of the rude and ignorant natives of Tahiti. The sweetness, delicacy, and sympathetic ardor with which the picture is drawn render it not only a vivid delineation of a phase of real life almost unknown to the popular reader, but also impart to it all the charms of an artless and perfect idly. "Nurse and Patient," by Dr. S Weir Mitchell, whose authority on matters touching the nervous constitution stands unrivaled, is a vigorous appeal in favor of professional nursing. The author dwells at much length upon the danger to which those are exposed who, burdened with the weight of an anxious sympathy and trameled by the fears, doubts, and ignorance which accompany inexperience, undertake the care of relatives suffering from prolonged, dangerous, or complicated maladies. His remarks upon the care of the insane are very pertinent and very just. "A day or Two in Southside Virginia," by Richard B. Elder, is a light, humorous sketch, which serves as a vehicle for the expression of the author's conviction that there is much need of Northern capital and Northern enterprise in the lower counties of the Old Dominion. "Land owners in England," by Richard Wynford, furnishes an attractive and concentrated description of the most obvious features of the land question in England, discourses briefly upon the policy of the great landholders, and abounds in personal references and anacdotes of an interesting character. The article in the present issue devoted to "Private Art Collection of Philadelphia" forms the concluding paper of the series, and, like its predecessors, is distinguished for critical ability, breadth of knowledge and fluency of expression. There are only two poems in the present number, but both of them display more than ordinary mirit. "Matins," by Emma Lazarus, is the product of a reflective and cultivated fancy, and does credit to its young and tallented author. "Colima," by Albert S. Evans, is a pleasing sketch in verse, touched with a wapth of color appropriate to the subject. "Our Monthly Gossip," among a variety of timely notes and anecdotical pieces, contains some very interesting reminiscences of the Abbe Liszt by the Lady Blanch Murphy.

The promises which are made concerning the new volumne of the Magazine are of the most appetizing character. A new serial story by George MacDonald, entitled "Malcolm," and esteemed the masterpiece of its author, will constitute the leading attraction in the way of fiction. A profusion of beautiful illustrations, engraved in a highly artistic manner, will embellish each issue, and every department of the Magazine will be managed with a sedulous and a liberality of enterprise which can scarcely fail to secure an ample reward.

A VETERAN.—The *New York Observer*, having completed its fiftieth year as the leader of the Religious Newspaper Press, is now preparing for its thousands of subscribers a New Year's Gift in the shape of a *Jubilee Year-Book*, which will be embellished with several appropriate illustrations. The *Observer* was launched in 1823, and for fifty years has sailed in an undeviating course, without once changing its motto or striking its colors. Few papers can present such a successful history; and while there are plenty of good papers published, there are few that we can recomend as strongly as the *Observer* for all the purposes of a Family Newspaper. Large, comprehensive and well-filled, it cannot fail to pay those who take it four-fold for their outlay. All subscribers get the *Jubilee Year-Book, gratis.* $3 a year. Sidney E. Morse & Co., 37 Park Row. New York.

OUR CORRESPONDENCE

A Letter to the Editor.

E. CITY., N. C., Nov. 20th, 1872.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Though differing with you in politics I must say I admire your energy and public spirit. You started your paper here when everything was flat, everybody disheartened and the prospects the most discouraging. You at once began to speak of hope and better cheer. You always had a good word for our town and section, and every movement of local or general improvement found in you an earnest advocate. You not only identified yourself with all our great material interests but you have been influential in helping them forward—giving them an impulse which we all soon began to feel and which we feel to-day. The high position taken by your paper at the beginning, now going on four years, has been maintained. It has appeared regularly. It has not been spasmodic—ever and anon suspending—but as each publication day came the "NORTH CAROLINIAN" has regularly and promptly "put in an appearance."

Now I feel that it is the duty of every citizen, be his political proclivities what they may, to stand by you and the "CAROLINIAN." Both you and it have proven worthy our support. Though outspoken as a Republican, you have not abused us—have not treated us with the malignant bitterness characterizing the partisan press. I do not hesitate to say that as a native of Elizabeth City I am proud of the "NORTH CAROLINIAN." I want to see it liberally sustained.

A CITIZEN.

Improvements.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Taking a view of our little City, we find improvements on almost every street. Many of the old, ancient, narrow, dreary looking windows are disappearing as by magic, and new and elegant glass fronts taking their places. The echo of the mechanics hammer and saw strikes the ear every where, and the spirit of enterprise is moving the hearts of many, and we hope may continue until many more are stirred up to a sense of the duty they owe to themselves, as well as to their tenants. We are living in a progressive age, and *enterprise* should be the motto of every one. Let us not be content by seeing our neighbors improve, let each and every property holder do his part, and wealth and prosperity will surely follow. Our city has been laboring under some disadvantages, but soon, very soon, they will be overcome. In a very short time the large and elegant Hotel will be ready to receive guests, and every enterprising citizen must exclaim, long life and prosperity to our young and and energetic friend who hass been the *Alpha* and *Omega* of this grand enterprise, and the grand structure will stand as a monument to his name for generations to come.

The rubbish at the water caused by the late destructive fire is rapidly being cleared away; and busy feet tramping to and fro indicative of rapid resumption of business:

Up with the energetic man; down with the drone. Cheer up enterprise. There are better days in store for us.

ENTERPRISE.

E. City, Nov. 26th, 1872.

The Legislature.

The Legislature met at Raleigh on the 18th. In the Senate Col. James T. Morehead of Guilford was elected President pro tem. The Republicans voted for Hon. C. W. Grandy Jr. of Pasquotank. The House was organized by electing J. S. Robinson of Macon Speaker. The Republicans voted for Richard C. Badger of Wake.

The past week in the Senate has been occupied with preliminary busines. Mr. Grandy offered a resolution in favor of John L. Wood, Sheriff of Pasquotank county. Allows him until the first of January, 1873, to collect taxes and settle with the Public Treasurer. From the report of Committees we see that the Educational Fund which toots up a debt account of $234,546 43¢. and a credit account of $175,275.92½, showing a balance on October 1st, 1872, of $61,270 56 and that the Public Fund shows a debt account of $681,403.96½, and a credit account of $628,533.90½, leaving a balance on the 1st of October, 1872, of $62,870-66. Mr. Grandy was appointed one of the Snate members of the Comitttee on Rules. Owing to defects in the returns of the election for State officers, the joint session of both houses for comparing the vote has been adjourned to the first Wednesday in December, and a resolution adopted requiring sheriffs to send in corrected returns. Mr. Grandy introduced a bill requiring the Board of Directors of the Penitentiary to report to the Govenor immediately the condition of that institution.

The House has not done much more than the usual preliminary business. Mr Badger of Wake offered a joint resolution petitioning Congress to remove the disibilities of Hon. W. A. Graham, of Grange, Hon. Burton Craige, of Rowan, Hon. W. N. H. Smith of Wake and others. Various bills were introduced.

It has been found that in nearly every civilized country the tree that bears the most fruit for the market is the axle-tree.

Susan B. Anthony and eight other women in a body presented their ballots at Rochester, N. Y., and they were received by the inspectors. So Susan has voted at last! There were 18 women registered in the same district.

Mrs. Mary E. Smith and Mrs. Frances A. Mann, the widow and daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Brinton Smith, an Episcopal clergyman and President of St. Augustine College, in Raleigh, N. C., who were arrested and imprisoned last week on the charge of causing his death by administering poison in seidlitz powders were brought before Judge Watts, of the Supreme Court, Saturday, on a writ of habeas corpus, and, after an examination, were discharged.

ADRUG STORE WORTH SEEING

To the Editor of the North Carolinian

During a recent visit to your little City I was among other things attracted by the new Drug Store of Dr. J. N. BUTT, No. 75 Road Street, and I cannot resist the impulse to ask your readers to call and see it, as it is not surpassed by any you will meet in the South, not in Baltimore will you find one more elegantly fitted up except its deficiency in gas lights which the Doctor hopes to supply soon. It is a two story brick building, 65 by 27 feet, with dwelling above. The lower story is divided into Dispensing Room, Office, Ware Room and Laboratory. The Store Room is very light. The front being entirely of plate glass, nine pieces 90 inches long, with two doors and one window, glass 56 x 90. The doors being double, shut one upon the other, and when open, as in summer, are folded back into a recess to the wall, making a straight line with the door and an elegant finish. The doors and flanges to the same being of plate glass, 90 inches long, does not impede the light open or shut. The floor is almost even with the pavement and is covered with a carpet of cocoa matting. There are two counters on either side, 12 feet long, beautifully white splendidly finished, and of good design with Italian marble tops. Their ends 8 feet from the doors, pass at right angle to the wall. On the right hand one is a Tennessee Marble Fountain, and on the other an Aquarium of Gold and other Fish. On either side between the door and counter, is a fine silver mounted walnut Show Case, 5 feet high, fastened to the wall a beautiful and attractive ornament to display Fancy Articles, and in the rear a Poison Case of the same kind. Three find silver mounted and one plate glass Prescription Case, with scroll and clock on top, and one fine balance scale adorn the counters. There are over 120 drawers which make a fine display, they are of sweet gum varnished, which is the prettiest wood that could be used. The shelves are supported on iron brackets, at the terminus of which, 3 feet from the ceiling, is a snow white cornice, interlined with two strips of gilt mouldding. The wall and entire store is pure white except the drawers and when lighted presents a very imposing display.

Last but not least, is the "little jewel" of an office, which is so much needed by every business man. The Doctor is doing, as he tells us, an extensive and lucrative office practice. It is fitted up in fine style, with every modern necessity and examinations are made with as much privacy as in your own home. The Laboratory is not yet finished, but when done will be a very responsible part of the establishment. The Doctor keeps a large stock of gold pertaining to the Drug Trade.

VISITOR.

September 1872.

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William West *Against* A. C. Furniss. } Summons Attachment.

It appearing to the undersigned a Justice of the Peace of said county that the defendant A. C. Furniss is a nonresident of the North Carolina, and a summons in said action having been returned "not to be found" by the sheriff of said County; the above named defendant A. C. Furniss is hereby notified to appear before the undersigned Justice at the Court House at Plymouth Washington County N. C., on Friday the 20th, day of December 1872 at 10 o'clock A. M. to answer the plaintiff at a civil action for the recovery of Eighty dollars with interest from the first day of May 1872 and in default thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against the defendant for the said sum and cost of this action.

Witness Justice of the peace for Washington County this Nov 4th, 1872.

R. S. GOELETT, J. P.

21—6t.

North Carolina Washington County, } In the Superior Court

John M. Bateman Adm., of Sarah F. Bennett —Pltff.

Against

Ralph H. Bennett, D. I. Carraway and wife Sarah, Job W. Tucker and wife Penelope—Defts.

In the above stated

NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27, 1872.

☞TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line Steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers, daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.

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The Saturday Evening Post.
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Cancers Cured.
New Goods Brodrick & Smith.
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The Most Successful Boys' and Girls.'

Local and Personal.

☞Court at Hertford next week.

☞Business will generally be suspended in town to-morrow. Thanks giving.

☞No IV of the series of articles on the Naval Academy will appear in our next issue.

☞Sheriff WOOD left yesterday morning for Raleigh to settle with the State Treasurer.

☞Our friend A. E. JACOBS, of Norfolk was in the city last week. He always gives us a call.

☞The roads are in a splendid condition. They are delightful for driving. We have been enjoying them.

☞JOSIAH T. WHITE, of Richmond Ind., paid us a flying visit this week. He formerly resided in Perquimans.

☞Hon. C. L. COBB has been spending a few days at home. He leaves for Washington on Friday morning.

☞The season of the year has arrived when

"Boughs are daily robbed
By the gusty thieves,
And the book of Nature
Getting short of leaves."

☞On organizing the State Senate our townsman Hon. C. W. GRANDY Jr., was made the Republican candidate for President *pro tem.* He received the united Republican vote.

☞The interesting account of the Farmers Club at Belvidere will appear in our next issue. Our correspondent's request respecting the *Economist* can't be complied with as that concern has suspended.

☞A large force of hands are actively at work on the new Hotel. It will be ready for business by New Years. It is the largest Hotel in the State and will be arranged on the most improved plan, with heaters, registers, cold and warm baths &c.

☞Not a week passes but we receive the request: "Please send me the "NORTH CAROLINIAN." In all cases where the money does not accompany the order we do not comply. No new names are entered on our books without the cash.

☞And now the poultry are getting it. "Ornicephadzymosis" is the expressive word coined to fit the affliction. We think "henflewenza" would do as well. A learned cotemporary calls it the "pul lino-febro-sincipetal-anasarcha-bulbosity," &c.

☞To-morrow is Thanks giving. May all our friends have a good dinner and experience a good time. Ah how true it is that

"No
Methods more sure at moment's to take hold
Of the best feelings of mankind,
Than that all softning, overpowering k
The toesin of the soul—the dinner bell.'

☞A sprightly boy said the other day, "Father, what does the printer live on?" "Why, child?" "Because you said you hadn't paid him for two years, and you still take the paper." "Wife, put that boy to bed; he's an everlasting talker." But we doubt whether the father will sleep soundly again until he sends the printer his dues.

☞About 11 o'clock on Friday night last some villain broke one of the large glass in the front window of GEO. W. BELL'S gun store and feloniously abstracted several guns therefrom. The breaking of the glass made a noise that was heard by Mr. DAVIS in his Saloon. By the time he came to the street the burglars "vamoosed." It was a bold act. These things are getting too frequent.

☞A young friend of ours made four frantic attempts of late to commit a buggy ride with his dulcinea, but the fates seem averse to the accomplishment of that felicity. The first time his new boots went back on him; the next time the buggy went back on him; the third time the girl went back on him, and the last time the horse was laid up with the "epizootic." Persevere young man!

☞We hear a good deal said about scientific farming. There is a good deal in it, but after all, the man who produces the largest yield to the area cultivated, with the least expense, and increases the fertility of his soil all the while is, in our judgement, the most scientific farmer, however ignorant he may be of the fact.

☞It not unfrequently happens that our friends in different parts of the county and district are in possession of little items of importance, but are very careless about letting the editor know anything about it. They should recollect that the only way to make a local paper interesting is to have all the news and items of interest published. Send us the news.

☞People who are always complaining of their bad luck are generally those who have done nothing to deserve any better. They dawdle away years in the hope of making a fortune "some day" by a single lucky stroke, and find, when it is too late, that the "some day" never comes. Patient, enduring industry wins more of the world's goods than the spasmodic efforts of the most brilliant genius

☞Our reporter says that a boy in the outskirts of the city attempted the other day to fire a horse pistol and got kicked. He has since gone to doctoring it for the epizootic.

☞We understand that Mr. MATHEWS intends opening the Skating Rink on the evening of Thursday—Thanksgiving day. He proposes to show the children his beautiful "Fantocedint Figures." without extra charge. Let the Rink be filled to overflowing!

☞R. F. OVERMAN Esq., Cashier of the Bank at this place, has been authorized to act as Agent to renew subscriptions to the Stock of the U. S. Centennial Board of Finance of the International Exhibition to be held at Philadelphia in 1876. The books remain opened for ninety days.

☞The horse disease still continues but we think the influenza or catarrhal symptoms are abating. Some horses, however, are suffering from serious secondary effects, a sort of dropsy setting in as a sequlal of the epidemic. These secondary symptoms seem to appear most frequently among such animals as were over worked during the first stages of the disease.

☞We thank our Edenton correspendent for his favor, but it came too late. Quite a number of cases were tried at Court. A special term will be held beginning on the 23d, of December to try A. J. BELCH charged with murder. The crime was committed in Hertford County, but was removed to Chowan for trial. The accused has been in jail about a year.

☞The "Yankee Store" will be entirely rebuilt next year by Brodrick & Smith. For the present they will occupy the new building next to the ruins, and keep as large a stock as it will contain. MR. C. W. SMITH, is well known by the people of this section in his connection with the Land & Lumber Co.

The new firm will do a business similar to that formerly done at that place.

☞The letter of "A Citizen," which we publish at his request, expresses, we believe, the feelings of a large portion of the people here of all parties. Though we have differed, and sometimes widely, on questions of politics, we have always agreed upon other subjects of vital importance to our section and our people. We believe and know that the NORTH CAROLINIAN has been the humble means of accomplishing a great deal of good. It shall not be our fault if it does not do a good deal more. Now that the election is over and we shall have no political excitement in this State for some years to come we propose devoting our attention and time and energies to advancing and developing the great material resources in which we are all so deeply interested.

☞We have recently had visits from parties from the West—persons who, having heard of this section, have come to "see for themselves." They express surprize at the wonderful advantages they see here for the investment of capital. The already high price of land in the West, with the low price of grain and the great cost of transportation to market, no longer offer inducements for the Northern and Eastern immigrant, with limited means, to go there. Indeed they say, and it is a fact, now that the political questions are rightly disposed of, insuring peace, tranquility and protection in the South, those who consult their best interests will select this section in which to locate and live. Here the land is still cheap, the climate is mild and genial, and the health will compare with any section in the West.

☞We have time and again called attention to the fact that right here where the staple is grown a Cotton Factory would pay. What folly to continue shipping the raw material. Let a stock Company be formed and put up a Factory and thus save the expense of shipping the raw material and of returning the fabrics with the freights, commissions and various profits given to strangers. By manufacturing our own staple and producing our own fabrics we would not only retain thousands of dollars in capital among our people but give profitable employment to hundreds of laborers. In numerous localities where cotton is not grown large Factories are in successful operation. Here where the fields on every side are white with the best of cotton a good Factory could be run more profitably still. It is reported that England paid the United States last year for cotton *one hundred and eighty-four million dollars,* ($184,000,000) and making this up into fabrics, she cleared *one hundred and eighty-eight million dollars,* ($188,000,000) more than doubling her money." Thus we see the vast amount realized from manufacturing cotton after the expense of transpotation.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

Gold—113. Be sure and do it—subscribe for the NORTH CAROLINIAN Close at hand—thanksgiving. Closing out—the last month of Autumn. Getting shorter—every day. A traditional salutation revived—"Well, old hoss, how are you?" Three things a man should always keep clean—his shirt bosom, his feet and his conscience. How to test the friendship of you associates—tell them of their faults. A schoolboard that is never elected—a blackboard. The best thing for the human "epizootic"—get it cured. Where is he—the speaker who keeps his promise to "say a few words only." A sealed proposal—an engagement kiss. Something new—see next week's paper.

Business Locals.

Don't call on Thanksgiving Day at Fowlers. He won't be in.

Christmas is coming but Lowenburg & Jacobs are always on hand at their quarters 22 & 24 Market Square Norfolk Va. Go and see them. They'll treat you right.

Always something nourishing and appetising at the popular Eating Saloon of J. D. Fulmer on Water Street. And you always get the worth of your money.

Proceedings of Commissioners.

E. City, N. C., Nov. 25th, 1872.

Commissioners met to-day; C. W. Smith, Chm'n Jas. S. Wilcox, Abram Morris and Emanuel Davis.

Ordered by the Board that all names and amounts that the Sheriff is exonerated with for the present year as Insolvent Tax Payers be filed in this office and published in the NORTH CAROLINIAN and at the Court House door in E. City if not payed by the first day of January 1873.

Ordered that S. D. White and A. P White be allowed $6 each for services in November election. The total amount, that the Sheriff was exonerated with for the year 1872 as Insolvent Tax Payers is $508.20, amount of errors $22.47.

Adjourned to meet the first Monday in December.

JNO. T. PRICE,
Clerk.

The Hipporhinorhea has reached Warrenton.

Gen. Allan Rutherford, third Auditor of the Treasury Department, has brought suit against Col. Forney for two publications in the Philaphia *Press,* before the October election in Pennsylvania. The damages are laid at $10.000.

Abbeville, S. C., was visited by a conflagration on Sunday last that destroyed a number of business houses, and all the county records and papers. The loss is estimated at fro $30,000 to $40,000. with a small amount of insurance.

DEATHS.

MUNDEN.—In Mount Hermon on the 17th inst., S. E. MUNDEN, aged 41 years.

TURNER.—In Mount Hermon on the 12th inst., Miss POLLY TURNER aged 25 years.

THE WARNING HAS BEEN HEEDED.—Since the exposure of the attempts made by certain unscrupulous local dealers, to palm off their course astringents made from cheap and impure materials, in the place of the great national tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, public opinion has set strongly against these empirics and their predarations. Their occupation is gone, or soon will be. When the light is let into deception it soon wilts down. Persons who trifle with their own health, by using unknown preparations, with no guarantee to sustain them, when an established specific, proven by twenty years experience to be exactly what it is claimed to be, is within their reach, are surely to reporte their temerity. Many have done so this instance, but it is copsl that the truth plainly spoken has arrested to evil. In the meantime the demand for the leading protective and restorative medicine of America was never so great as it has been this season. From the fever and ague districts of the west, southwest, and south, it is literally overwhelming, and it may be said of the lives from all parts of the country of the cures it is effecting in dispepsia, billious complaints, and chronic constipation, that "their name is legion." Everywhere the sick and feeble seem to have realized the importance of "holding fast that which is good," and of avoiding what is spurious and dangerous.

The numerous "Bitters," under various names, which mercenary dealers endeavor to substitute for Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, should be avoided, for their own sakes, by the sick and the public at large. Hostetter's Bitters are procurable in bottles only, and never sold in bulk.

Beware of Counterfeits!

JOB MOSES' SIR JAMES CLARKE'S FEMALE PILLS

are extensively counterfeited. Dishonest Druggists endeavor to sell the counterfeits to make great profits. The genuine have the name of Job Moses on each package. All others are worthless imitations.

The GENUINE Pills are unfailing in the cure of all those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. They moderate all excesses and remove all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

they are particularly adapted. They will in a short time bring on the monthly period with regularity; and although very powerful, contain nothing hurtful to the constitution. In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, they will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The circulars around each package give full directions, and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for them, sealed from observation.

N. B.—In all cases where the GENUINE cannot be obtained, One Dollar enclosed to the Sole Proprietor, JOB MOSES, 18 Cortlandt St., New York, will insure a bottle of the *genuine,* containing Fifty Pills, by return mail, *securely sealed* from any knowledge of its contents.

RELIEF IN 10 MINUTES.

BRYAN'S PULMONIC WAFERS

Cure COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, SORE THROAT, HOARSENESS, DIFFICULT BREATHING, INFLUENZA, CONSUMPTION, and DISEASES OF THE LUNGS. They have no taste of medicine, and any child will take them. Thousands have been restored to health that had before despaired. Testimony given in hundreds of cases. Ask for BRYAN'S PULMONIC WAFERS. Price 25 cents per box. JOB MOSES, Proprietor, 18 Cortlandt Street, New York.

THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY.

DELAMARRE'S SPECIFIC PILLS.

Prepared by J. GARANCIERE,
No. 81 Rue Lombard, Paris.

These pills are highly recommended by the entire Medical Faculty of France as the very best remedy in all cases of Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness; Nightly, Daily or *Premature* Emissions; Sexual Weakness or *Impotency;* Weakness arising from Secret Habits and Sexual Excesses; *Relaxation* of the Genital Organs; Weak Spine; Deposits in the Urine, and all the ghastly train of Diseases arising from Overuse or Recesses. They *cure* when all other remedies fail. Pamphlet of Advice in each box, or will be sent Free to any address. Price $1 per Box. Sent by mail, *securely sealed from all observation,* on receipt of price. DELAMARRE, 48 CORTLANDT ST., NEW YORK, Sole General Agent for America.

Norfolk Market.

Cotton from 17c @ 18¾. Wheat from $1,50 @ $2,00 according to qualiiy. Corn 60.

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It Acts Like a Charm.

This is what we hear on all sides of Dr. Tutt's Expectorant. In cases of Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Diseases it affords instant relief. In one or two the very worst cases of the lungs and throat it will throw off all foul matter. It is very pleasant to the taste. Child en take it readily.

Dr. Wm. H. Tutt, New York, Aug 1st 31, 1869.
SIR:—When in Aiken last winter, I had your Expectorant for my cough and found no other from it than any I have ever took half a dozen bottles home with me and had to give some of it to my friends. Please send me one dozen by Express, C. O. D.
ALFRED CUSHING, 23 West 31st Street.

Dr. Tutt's Hair Dye imparts a Natural Color.

MAKE MONEY Fast and honorably, by at once applying for a territorial right, (which are given free to agents,) to sell the best, strongest, and most useful and rapid selling Sewing Machine, and Patent Button Hole Worker, ever used or recommended by families, or buy one of your own use; it is only $5. Sent free everywhere by express. Address for particulars, JEROME B. HUDSON & CO., Cornor Greenwich and Courtlandt Streets, New York. 19-6m.

A LARGE AND VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber desiring to lessen his farming operations, offers for sale privately until the 15th December next, and if not sold at that time, at public auction on the premises at 12 o'clock M. that valuable and productive plantation, a part of the far-famed "Turkey Ridge Body" known as the Whedbee place, containing by estimate One Thousand and Ninety acres. This farm is one of the most productive in North Carolina, and in the hands of an enterprising and industrious farmer could be made a most profitable and paying investment. It is beautifully adapted to all the crops of this climate, corn, wheat, oats, cotton, peas, potatoes, fruits, clover and the grasses generally. It is convenient to navigation, the main barn which is nearly in the centre of the farm being only two and half miles from a landing on Perquimans River. The buildings are in good order, and there is a sufficiency for eight or ten families to be comfortable, with an abundance of firewood and rail timber. The fences and ditches are in complete order, nearly every ditch on the premises either having been trimmed and cut out this fall, or now being done so. In addition to the open land, there is a large Deadening of One Hundred and Fifty acres ready to come into cultivation, and in quality not to be surpassed by any in the State. The owner who resides about five miles below it in Durants Neck will take pleasure in showing it and pointing out its advantages to any parties who may desire to examine it until the day of sale.

TERMS. Three Thousand Dollars Cash and, the remainder in equal installments of one; two three and four years with interest at 8 per cent., and the title retained until the money is paid.

After the sale will be offered Twenty (20) mules and horses besides cattle, hogs, farming utensels, corn, fodder, &c. Terms made known on day of sale.

R. C. JENKINS.
Durants Neck, N. C.
Oct. 16th, 1872.–til day of sale.

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ARE YOU GOING TO PAINT?

THE
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HANDSOMEST AND MOST DURABLE EXTERIOR PAINT KNOWN.

Sample card of beautiful colors and recommendations from owner of the finest residences in the country furnished free by all dealers and by

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CHILD'S COMMENTATOR
ON THE BIBLE, for the HOME CIRCLE. 1,200 pages, 250 Engravings. The best enterprise of the year for Agents. Every family will have it. Nothing like it now published For Circulars address, H. S. GOODSPEED & CO., 37 Park Row, New York.

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ASTHMA,—
THE subscribers are Manufacturer's Agents for R. W. Reed's celebrated ASTHMA RELIEF, the best remedy for Asthma yet discovered. Instant relief guaranteed or purchase money refunded. The medicine is put up in three sizes, which retail for 25c., 50c., and $1 Peasons remitting price will have the medicine free by mail or express. Also samples sent free to any who desire. ETHERIDGE, TULLER & CO., Rome, N. Y.

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Address F. K. PHŒNIX,
BLOOMINGTON NURSERY,
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600 Acres; 21st year; 12 Greenhouses. Apple, 1,000 1 yr., $20; 2 yr., $30; 3 yrs., $40; 4 yrs., $50 4 Catalogues, 20 cents.
4—4m.

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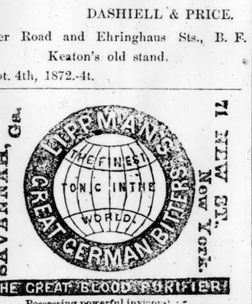
S. Weisel,
Corner Main and Water Streets,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
Dealer in all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Linens, Cloths, Cassimeres, Clothing, Trimmings, Silks, and Fancy Dress Goods. Also Hats, Caps and the very best assortment of Boots and Shoes.
☞The best assortment and quality of Goods kept in the City.
April 11th, 1872.–1yr.

NOTICE.
All kinds of Liquors, from common Whisky to the finest French Brandy; also all kinds of Family Groceries for sale by
DASHIELL & PRICE.
Corner Road and Ehringhaus Sts., B. F. Keaton's old stand.
Sept. 4th, 1872.–4t.



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Possessing powerful invigorating
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These Bitters are positively invaluable in
ALL SKIN DISEASES & ERUPTIONS
They purify the system, and will cure
DYSPEPSIA & GENERAL DEBILITY,
Remittent and Intermittent Fevers,
NERVOUS DISEASES, LIVER COMPLAINT
and are a preventive of Chills and Fever.
DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS & BLADDER
All yield to their powerful efficacy.
ARE GOOD FOR THE MENTAL ORGANIZATION
Are an antidote to change of Water and Diet.
THEY WILL RESTORE YOUTHFUL VIGOR
to the wasted frame, and correct all
IRREGULARITY OF THE BOWELS
Will save days of suffering to the sick, and
CURES NEVER WELL PEOPLE
The grand Panacea for all the ills of life.
TRY ONE BOTTLE
The Standard BITTERS OF GERMANY FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS In Young or Old, Married or Single, these Bitters are unequalled and have often been the means of saving life. PHYSICIANS THERE, PRESCRIBE IT IN THEIR PRACTICE.
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H. & M. Nov. 9-1yr.

A VALUABLE FISHERY FOR SALE—
The undersigned offers for sale his old established Fishery at the mouth of Scouppernong River N. C., with 1000 yards of Seine, Boats, Stands etc., complete, all in good condition. There can be 1200 yards of Seine fished at this Fishery. and one million of Herrings have been caught during a season.
Any one wishing to enter into this business now has a chance to make money. Terms made easy. For particulars inquire personally or by letter of,
J. W. ETHERIDGE.
51—tf. Manteo Dare Co. N. C

REYNOLDSON MALE INSTITUTE.—
REYNOLDSON, GATES CO., N. C.
The next session will begin on the first Monday in October.
TERMS
Board, (washing, fuel, and lights *included*) per month..... $11.00
Tuition—per session of 20 weeks from..... $20.00 to 22.00
For circulars, address
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MISCELLANEOUS.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!!
DR. JAS. N. BUTT, "The Popular Druggist," has removed his Stock of Drugs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass and Patent Medicines to his Fine and Commodious
STORE.
J. M. MATHEWS,
WATCH MAKER AND JEWELER,

HAVING located in the Guirkin building, near the corner of Main and Road Sts., Elizabeth City, N. C. is prepared to operate in the Watch Maker and Jeweler business in all its departments. He respectfully solicit a share of patronage.
April 18th, 1872.–1yr.

$500,000 IN BANK.
GRAND GIFT CONCERT
Postponed to Dec. 7, 1872.
THE SECOND GRAND GIFT CONCERT in aid of the Public Library in Kentucky, announced for September 28, has been postponed to December 7, 1872, because the accumulation of orders the few days before the drawing made it physically impossible to fill them without a few days' delay and as a short postponement was inevitable, it was determined to defer it to a time that would make a full drawing sure by the sale of all the tickets.
The money necessary to pay in full all the offered gifts is now upon deposit in the Farmer's and Drovers' Bank, as will be seen by the following certificate of the Cashier:
FARMERS' AND DROVERS' BANK.
LOUISVILLE, KY., Sept. 26, 1872.
This is to certify that there is now on deposit in this bank over half a million of dollars to the credit of the Gift Concert fund, $500,000 of which is held by this bank as Treasurer of the Public Library of Kentucky to pay off all gifts to be awarded at the drawing.
R. S. VEACH, Cashier.
1,000 Prizes, amounting to
$500,000 IN CASH,
will be awarded, the highest prizes being $100,000, $50,000, $25,000, and down in regular gradation to $100, which is the lowest.
The drawing will positively and unequivocally take place December 7. Agents are peremptorily required to close sales and make returns November 25, in order to give ample time for final arrangements. Orders for tickets or applications for circulars should be addressed to
Gov. THOMAS E. BRAMLETTE,
Agent Public Library of Kentucky,
16—1m. Louisville, Ky.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE
Estate of Aquilla P. Hyman.
The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been chosen by the creditors as Assignee of the Estate of Aquilla P. Hyman, of Halifax Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
H. HUGHES, Assignee,
Jackson, N. C.
16-3

BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES!

FROM one of the best Manufactories in the United States, (McLear and Kendell, Wilmington Del.) I have and will continue to recieve a full assortment of BUGGIES, with and without tops, which I will sell very cheap. Also Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Whips, &c., also on hand. As I deal direct from the Manufacturers I can sell at prices to defy competition. Orders respectfully solicited Road street near Main, Elizabeth City, N. C.
Dec. 7. 1871-1y. MILES COMMANDER.

WANTED!
500 bushels Black and Black-Eyed Peas.
1,000 dozen Eggs,
2,000 Chickens and Ducks,
Together with Woolen and Cotton Rags, Iron, Metals, Hides, Furs, Beeswax, Wool, Cotton, Rope, Seine, Net, Bagging, Canvas, Waste Paper, Books, all kinds of Barrels, etc., etc.,
WANTED AT
Chas. C. Price, jr.'s,
Main Street,
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BLOODED STOCK.
I have sixty head of Ayeshire, Devon and Durham Stock which I will sell to parties in Eastern Carolina on reasonable terms.
F. D. BUNNEL,
Wellsboro, Pa.
Apply to J. M. Bunnel, at Pendleton's Hotel, E. City. 12—tf.

SEED OATS.
The undersigned can furnish the farmers of Eastern Carolina any quantity of Seed Oats of the Canada and English Rahway varieties—the best now raised. Price $3 per bushel.
F. D. BUNNEL,
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Ho ye that need anything in the line of
FURNITURE
GO TO THE
FURNITURE
STORE
ON
WATER STREET,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
AND MAKE YOUR SELECTION.
P. W. MELICK.
November 6th, 1872.—tf.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, will be held in the Governor's office, on the third Tuesday in November, 1872.
TOD R. CALDWELL,
President of the Board of Trustees.
R. W. LASSITER, Secretary. 18-4t

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUTZ'S
CELEBRATED
Horse and Cattle Powders.

This preparation, long and favorably known, will thoroughly revivigorate broken down and low-spirited horses, by strengthening and cleansing the stomach and intestines.
It is a sure preventive of all diseases incident to this animal, such as LUNG FEVER, GLANDERS, YELLOW WATER, HEAVES, COUGHS, DISTEMPER, FEVERS, FOUNDER, LOSS OF APPETITE AND VITAL ENERGY, &c. Its use improves the wind, increases the appetite—gives a smooth and glossy skin—and in fact changes the whole skeleton and spirits of a horse.

To keepers of Cows this preparation is invaluable. It is a sure preventive against Rinderpest, Hollow Horn, etc. It has been proven by actual experiment to increase the quantity of milk and cream twenty per cent. and make the butter firm and sweet. In fattening cattle, it gives them an appetite, loosens their hide, and makes them thrive much faster.

In all diseases of Swine, such as Coughs, Ulcers in the Lungs, Liver, &c., this article acts as a specific. By putting from one-half a paper to a paper in a barrel of swill the above diseases will be entirely done entirely prevented. If given in time, a certain preventive and cure for the Hog Cholera.

DAVID E. FOUTZ, Proprietor,
BALTIMORE, Md.
For sale by Druggists and Storekeepers throughout the United States, Canada and South America.
For Sale by DR. D. T. KREBS & CO.
E. City, N. C. Oct. 5, 1871–1y.

FRANK M. COOK,
WATCH MAKER & JEWELER,
AGENT FOR THE

THIS UNEQUALLED SEWING MACHINE
uses a straight, needle and drop under feed, "Lock Stitch," (alike on both sides.)
Has a self adjusting Tension, and is adapted to every variety of sewing for family wear, from the lightest muslins to the heaviest cloth and will even sew Lether.
It will Hem, Fell, Bind, Cord, Braid, Seam, Tuck, Ruffle, Hemstitch Gather, and sew on at the same time, and will work equally as well on Silk, Linen, Woolen and cotton goods, with Silk Linen or cotton thread.
PRICE LIST.
No. 1 to Turn by Hand.....$25,00
No. 2 complete with table Treadle....$37,00
No. 3 complete with table treadle and cover.....$42.00
No. 4 nice cabinet case.....$75.00
WARRANTEE.
Every Machine is warranted perfect in every respect, and if any part fails, from any imperfection within five years I will supply the part free of cost.
Agents wanted in the Counties of Gates, Chowan, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck and Dare.
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Large Stock and Unequalled Assortment.	FOR FALL PLANTING.	Send for Catalogue and Price List

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The place to buy *Cheap.*
GO TO THE
DRUG EMPORIUM
TO BUY PURE
LEAD, ZINC, OILS
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OF ALL COLORS.
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THE NEW DISCOVERY
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Dr. E. F. GARVIN'S
SOLUTION & COMPOUND ELIXIR
OF
TAR
FIRST AND ONLY SOLUTION ever made in one mixture of ALL THE TWELVE valuable active principals of the well-known curative agent,
PINE TREE TAR,
UNEQUALED in Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, and consumption.
CURES WITHOUT FAIL
A recent cold in three to six hours; and also, by its VITALISING, PURIFYING and STIMULATING effects upon the general system, is remarkably efficacious in all
DISEASES OF THE BLOOD,
including Scrofula and Eruptions of the skin, Dyspepsia, Diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, Heart Disease, and General Debility.
ONE TRIAL CONVINCES!
ALSO, A
Volatile Solution of Tar
For INHALATION, without application of HEAT. A remarkably VALUABLE discovery, as the whole apparatus can be carried in the vest pocket, ready at any time for the most effectual and positively curative use in
All Diseases of the NOSE, THROAT and LUNGS.
THE COMPOUND
Tar and Mandrake Pill.
for use in connection with the ELIXIR TAR, is a combination of the TWO most valuable ALTERATIVE Medicines known in the Profession, and renders this Pill without exception the very best ever offered.
The SOLUTION and COMPOUND ELIXIR of
TAR
is without doubt the best remedy known in cases of
CHOLERA AND YELLOW FEVER.
It is a Specific for such diseases, and should be kept in the household of every family, especially during those months in which
CHOLERA AND YELLOW FEVER
are liable to prevail. A small quantity taken daily will prevent contracting these terrible diseases.
Solution and Compound Elixir, $1.00 per Bottle
Volatile Solution for Inhalation, $5.00 per Box
Tar and Mandrake Pills, 25c. per box
Send for Circular of POSITIVE CURES to your Druggist, or to
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SOLE PROPRIETORS
110 E. 22d St., New York.
For sale by Dr. D. T. KREBS & CO.
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SHEPPERD STREET MILLS.—
We beg leave to call the attention of the public to the fact that these MILLS have just been remodeled and *thoroughly* repaired and such alterations made as makes them first-class Flouring Mills, where all the fine grades of Family Flour can be made and corn meal not surpassed in the country. We are also prepared to saw all kinds of lumber not exceeding 30 ft. in length on shortest notice. We will keep constantly on hand our new style of shingles; will also furnish plastering laths, fire-wood and other articles in our line.
STORE
At the corner of Shepperd street and Factory Avenue we keep a good assortment of Groceries and Provisions generally; together with Notions, Dry Goods, &c. Also Dr. Bellejeou's celebrated Fever and Ague medicine. Warranted to cure or no pay.
Grain and Cotton wanted; also saw logs for which the highest market price will be paid. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods.
WM. UNDERWOOD & CO.
11-tf.

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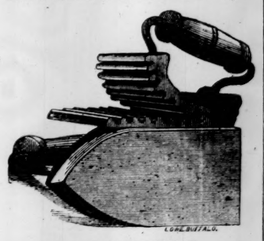

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Items.

Two fruit-canning establishments of Benton Harbor, Mich., this season gave employment to 500 women, girls, and boys, paying ten cents per hour for the labor rendered.

Switzerland has 268 head of cattle to every 1,000 acres, and 557 to every 1,000 inhabitants. In Spain there are only thirty-nine head of cattle to every 1,000 acres.

A young lady has successfully passed the requisite examination and been admitted a member of the Freshman class of the Maine State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

Six establishments in New-Orleans, with an aggregate capital of $1,500,000, are engaged in the manufacture of oil and oil-cake from cotton-seed, the yield being 100,000 tons per annum.

Western Michigan has 900,000 peach-trees, 140,000 pear-trees, 30,000 plum-trees, 25,000 cherry-trees, 170,000 apple-trees, 10,000 quince trees, and 180,000 grapevines. A large area is also devoted to the culture of berries.

Ten years ago an Iowa apple, raised in the Des Moines Valley, west of Eddyville, was a curiosity. To-day the Des Moines market is filled to overflowing with this fruit, and the largest portion of it, and the best is of home growth.

A writer suggests to all bee-keepers to take notes of all plants that bees frequent. Note the time of commencement of bloom and the duration, also the approximate increase of honey stored during the time such plants are visited by the bees.

A barber in Titusville, Penn., while cutting the hair of a customer, ran his shears against some hard substance, which proved to be a wetstone. The old farmer said he had "missed that wetstone ever since haying-time last July, and had looked all over a ten-acre lot for it, but now remembered sticking it up over his ear." Wonder what he would find in the heads of some of the long-haired gentry of New-York City, who think that a sign of brains?

Meat is much better for family use when at least one week old in cold weather. The English method for keeping meat for some time has great merit. Experts say hang up a quarter of meat with the cut end up, being the reverse of the usual way, by the leg and the juice will remain in the meat, and not run to the cut and dry up by evaporation. It is worth a trial, and when made will be continued.

Take Care of the Leaves.

Now, just as the leaves are falling, is the proper time to rake them up and put them in your barn-yard. There is far more valuable matter in the leaf at this time than if fully dried, and if you have a muddy hole about your yard or farm, be sure to fill it with leaves as soon as possible. Mud-holes always disfigure any place, but by this course they are made to do good service. The value of leaves is not by any means fully understood, they contain more potash than any other part of the tree, even when dry, and if taken up at this season and composted with muck in a pile or in a mud-hole in addition to their potash they will yield a large quantity of nitrogen. One of the best farmers we ever knew always kept a part of his ox-teams hauling leaves at this time of the year, while the rest were hauling muck to be mixed with them. He never bought half as much of the commercial fertilizers as his neighbors, yet he always raised twice as large crops. There is probably no work about a farm to which a team can at this season be so profitably placed as hauling leaves into the barn-yard, and it is also light, easy work, at which they may almost be said to be resting after the season of plowing is over. Then, too, there is the decayed vegetable matter of the fence corners, and add, too, a little woods mold. An experiment of this kind will astonish any farmer in the crop result on any soil where the compost is placed.

Keep the Cattle Growing.

The most successful breeders of horses, cattle, sheep or swine, know from experience that although they may possess the best breeding animals, they will not be successful in producing superior stock if a continual growth of young animals is not kept up. In order to begin in time at this indispensable preparation for success, the brood mares, cows, ewes and sows are most carefully and suitably fed while with young, and as soon as the young animals make their appearance, they are taken the greatest care of, the dams being suitably fed while suckling, and when the young ones are weaned, they are not supposed to want for food or drink a single hour. By this means a continuous or rabid growth is kept up, and the animals attain a large size and heavy weight at an early age. When breeding animals are not properly fed and comfortably sheltered in winter, the bad effect of such treatment is not confined to their own want of condition—it is shared by their progeny, and can never be remedied. When young stock are not fed well and comfortably sheltered in winter, their growth becomes stunted, and no subsequent amount of good treatment can repair the damage. Young animals may suffer for want of proper provender in summer and autumn, as well as in winter, and when this happens it stops continuous growth and prevents ultimate success in the subjects of the breeders.—*Working Farmer.*

To Sweeten Butter Firkins.—Before packing butter into firkins, put them out of doors in the vicinity of the well, fill them with water, and throw in a few handfuls of salt; let them stand three or four days, and change the water once during that time. If the butter is well made and rightly packed it will keep good all Summer. To cleanse old firkins in which butter has been packed and left exposed some time to the air, fill with sour milk and leave standing twenty-four hours; then wash clean and scald with brine. This makes them as good as new.

Lime in Crops.—There is said to be carried off from the soil 9 pounds of lime in 25 bushels of oats, and 15 pounds in 38 bushels of barley. There are 35 pounds of lime in 2 tons of rye grass, 126 pounds in 2 tons of clover, and 140 pounds in 25 tons of turnips, and 270 pounds in nine tons of potatoes. Some soils contain abundance of lime for a thousand years, others require an occasional application of lime as a fertilizer.

In England there are about 40,000 acres of young oaks and other growing timber planted in inclosures by authority of acts of Parliament, of which 10,000 were planted last year.

The Plantation suggests that it would be mutually beneficial for Northern men to furnish live stock and Southern men land and personal attention and share the profits.

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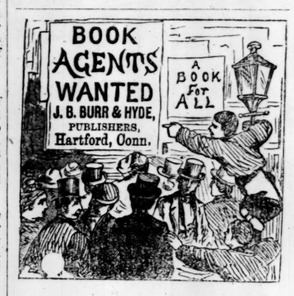

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